



# CITY OF DANBURY

DANBURY, CONNECTICUT 06810  
DEPARTMENT OF ELDERLY SERVICES  
COMMISSION ON AGING  
ELMWOOD HALL  
10 Elmwood Place  
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DATE: March 30, 2015

TO: Honorable Mayor Mark D. Boughton  
Members of the City Council

FROM: Susan M. Tomanio, LCSW  
Director of Elderly Services

RE: Department Report for City Council Meeting  
Reporting Period: (2/23/15 – 3/30/15)

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**Department of Elderly Services** - 727 incoming information calls

**Elmwood Hall Senior Center** – 269 seniors, 2,108 visits / services

**Program Highlights:** Bean Bag Tournament, Medicare Fraud Presentation, Happy Feet Wellness Program, Support for Caregivers Program, Rock and Roll Dance Show with St. Peter's School, Yolanda's Hair Boutique, Page Turner's Book Club, Lion's Club Low Vision Support Group, Sport Talk

**Municipal Agent** – 52 clients / 70 services

**Services by Category** – CHOICES (Connecticut's program for Health insurance assistance, Outreach, Information and referral, Counseling, Eligibility Screening) - 20, Housing - 6, Medicaid – 2, Medicare – 2, Medicare D – 5, Medicare Savings Plan – 11, Transportation – 1, Rent Rebate - 5, Energy Assistance - 3, Assisted Living - 2, CT Homecare Program for Elders – 2, Respite Care – 1, Chore Services – 1, Abuse/Neglect – 2, Meals on Wheels – 2, Income Tax – 3, Other Insurance – 1, Utilities – 1

**Van Transportation Program** – 496 one way trips (3 snow days)

**Connections / Collaborations:** Danbury Aging in Place Council, Board Member - State Legislative Commission on Aging